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Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated August 1, 2005 for one month from November 1, 2005 to December 1, 2005.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 60	\$ 120	\$60
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Respectfully submitted,

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